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Karen E. Trainer Senior Campaign Finance Analyst Reports Analysis Division Federal Election Commission 989 E Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20463

> Re: The Big Tent PAC C00285098 Mid-Year Report (01/01/05-06/30/05)

Dear Ms. Trainer:

We represent The Big Tent PAC and Sylvia Nolde, Treasurer, in all matters involving the Federal Election Commission. We began this representation last month. This letter responds to your letters of September 20, 2006 about the above captioned matter. I will respond to your questions in the order in which they were set forth in your letter of September 20, 2006.

- (1) The expenditure shown on Schedule B for printing was the cost of printing an invitation for a fundraising event being held by The Big Tent PAC exclusively for its own benefit.
- (2) Administrative expenses incurred during this reporting period were nominal and fell below the \$200 threshold. The Big Tent PAC is administered entirely by valunteers and consists, essentially, of a bank account. It has no other assets.
- (3) No goods or services were provided to The Big Tent PAC except by volunteers.
- (4) It is our position that all administrative expenses for The Big Tent PAC have been adequately disclosed to the Commission.
- (5) Going forward, contributions to Non-Federal Candidates/Committees, if any, will be disclosed an Schedule B, Line 29 of the Summary Page.

I trust that this information is responsive to your letter. Please do not hesitant to contact me directly, at 202-973-5959, if I can be of any additional assistance.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

ETEXT ATTACHMENT

William B. Canfield III Counsel to The Big Tent PAC

cc. Ms. Sylvia Nolde